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In re application of: Walter AICHHOLZER, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/685,678  
Filed: October 15, 2003  
For: DRY-PAINT FILM FOR APPLICATION TO A COMPONENT

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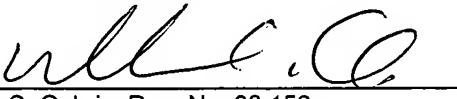
Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Final Office Action (8 pages)** in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.  
 Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.  
 No fee for additional claims is required.  
 A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

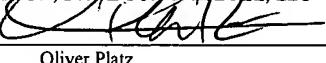
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INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus 3	=	0		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 44	\$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 88	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + \$150	\$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + \$300	\$
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- Also transmitted herewith are:  
 Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
 Other:
- Check(s) in the amount of **\$0.00** is/are attached to cover:  
 Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16  
 Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
 Other:
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
- Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.  
 Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.  
 Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

  
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 26, 2004 please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.